

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Toshichika URUSHIBARA et al.
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action issued on September 15, 2008, having
a three-month shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on December 15, 2008, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.